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In re Application of

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Docket No.: NEC2120-US

Serial No.: 09/808,131

Group Art Unit: 2125

Filed: March 15, 2001

Examiner:

Kosowski, Alexander J.

For: AN APPARATUS AND A METHOD FOR COLLECTION OF PROBLEM PART

Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for a One-month extension of time to respond to the Final Office Action mailed July 15, 2004. The Commissioner is authorized to charge the extension fee in the amount of \$110.00 to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481. An Amendment responsive to the outstanding Office Action is being filed simultaneously herewith.

The Commissioner is authorized charge any deficiencies in fees and credit any overpayment of fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481.

Respectfully Submitted,

Date: October 29 2004

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I hereby certify that I am filing this Petition and Fee for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) by facsimile with the United States Patent and Trademark Office addressed to Examiner Alexander J. Kosowski, Group Art Unit 2125, at fax number (703) 872-9306 this 29th day of October, 2004.

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Re:

Enclosed Petition and Fee for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) and

Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. §1.116

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Dear Examiner Kosowski:

Enclosed is a Petition and Fee for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) and an Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 responsive to the July 15, 2004 Office Action, which should place the above-referenced case in condition for allowance.

Thank you in advance for your consideration on this case.

Very truly yours.

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